

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 3 and 6 have been amended and claims 7-8 have been added as follows:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (original): A personal information storage device comprising:

information storage means for storing personal information and electronic money information;

short-distance communication means for making short-distance communications in a noncontact manner;

pair relationship establishment means that receives a pair relationship establishment request signal from a mobile terminal by said short-distance communication means and transmits personal identification information to said mobile terminal by said short-distance communication means; and

information providing control means that receives electronic money information from a financial institution terminal by said short-distance communication means and transmits said electronic money information by said short-distance communication means to a mobile terminal with which said pair relationship has been established.

Claim 2 (original): The personal information storage device according to Claim 1, wherein said information providing control means receives an electronic money increase request signal of a predetermined designated amount of money from said mobile terminal by said short-distance communication means and transmits an electronic money increase signal of said designated amount of money to a mobile terminal by said short-distance communication means.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The personal information storage device according to Claim 1 [[or 2]], wherein said personal information storage device is integrated with something that a user wears.

Claim 4 (original): A mobile terminal comprising:

short-distance communication means for making short-distance communications in a noncontact manner;

pair registration means that transmits a pair relationship establishment request signal to a personal information storage device by said short-distance communication means, receives personal identification information from said personal information storage device by said short-distance communication means, and registers said personal information storage device as having a pair relationship;

user setting means for setting and storing personal information including electronic money information, by receiving it by said short-distance communication means from said personal information storage device registered as having the pair relationship; and

use permission means that transmits a use permission request signal to a personal information storage device set as having the pair relationship by said short-distance communication means, receives a use permission signal from said personal information storage device by said short-distance communication means, and makes this mobile terminal available.

Claim 5 (original): The mobile terminal according to Claim 4, further comprising electronic money increase means that designates a predetermined amount of money and transmits an electronic money increase request signal by said short-distance communication means to a personal information storage device set as having a pair relationship, and receives an electronic money increase signal of

said designated amount of money from said personal information storage device by said short-distance communication means and stores it.

Claim 6 (currently amended): The mobile terminal according to Claim 4 [[or 5]], wherein said pair registration means transmits a pair relationship establishment request signal addressed to an arbitrary personal information storage device, and said use permission means transmits a use permission request signal addressed to a specific personal information storage device.

Claim 7 (new): The personal information storage device according to Claim 2, wherein said personal information storage device is integrated with something that a user wears.

Claim 8 (new): The mobile terminal according to Claim 5, wherein said pair registration means transmits a pair relationship establishment request signal addressed to an arbitrary personal information storage device, and said use permission means transmits a use permission request signal addressed to a specific personal information storage device.